

SENATE RESOLUTION 98

By Ramsey

A RESOLUTION to designate March 21-26, 2016, "Surveyor's Week" in Tennessee.

WHEREAS, there are more than 45,000 professional surveyors in the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, the nature of surveying has changed dramatically since the Colonial Era, when the profession was defined by the description and location of land boundaries; and

WHEREAS, today, surveying has expanded to include hydrographic surveys, engineering surveys utilized in the study and selection of engineering construction, geodetic surveys to determine precise global positioning for activities such as aircraft and missile navigation, and cartographic surveys used for mapping and charting; and

WHEREAS, professional surveyors provide important services through the use of sophisticated equipment and techniques, such as satellite-borne remote sensing devices and automated positioning, measuring, recording, and plotting equipment; and

WHEREAS, the role of the surveyor has been, and continues to be, integral to the development and advancement of our State and Nation; and

WHEREAS, it is wholly fitting that we join with surveyors nationwide as they celebrate this auspicious and noteworthy week of recognition; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby designate March 21-26, 2016, "Surveyor's Week" in Tennessee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.